

ITEM #15 – August 10, 2017 Council Meeting

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER ALTER #2:

Amend the Candidate Profile for the City of Austin City Manager as recommended by the Citizen Advisory Task Force by adding a new paragraph between the second and third paragraphs under “Responsibilities” on page 2 of the Profile that reads as follows:

"The City Manager will need to create an organizational culture that supports the appropriately free flow of information and advice between City Staff of all ranks and elected officials. S/he should appreciate the value of and utilize the ~~political~~ ^{community} and practical expertise brought to the table by the Mayor and Council. In addition, this individual should provide avenues for the Mayor and Council to leverage the management and municipal expertise the City Manager and City staff bring to policy questions. In order to be successful, the new City Manager should invest in an open, trusting, and collaborative relationship between the City Manager and City Staff and the Mayor and City Council."